The American Highway Association

of Belvoir, Va., president of the South.

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Vice-president, L. W. Page, Washs

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LABOR TROUBLES GROW

Connecticut Industrial Plants Havo

Difficulty, Despite Many Adjust-

NEW HAVEN, CONN., September 18,

-Labor troubles in Connecticut are on

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PROGRESS IN LOAN DEAL CAUSES STOCKS TO GO UP

Even Railroad Shares, Which Have Been Dull. Come to Front and Advance.

FOREIGN EXCHANGE IS LOWER

Due to Early Report That There Had Been Hitch in Anglo-French Commission's Negotiations - Industrials Slightly Recede.

BY BROADAN WALL

NEW YORK, September 18.—"More progress was made to-day in the loan negotiations than was expected, and it should be consummated Monday morning," said a banker, after the close of the stock market to-day. This explained the urgent demand

This explained the urrent demand for stocks at higher prices and the establishment of several new high records. Even the railroad shares, which have been dill and lifeless for many weeks, came to the front, and, under leadership of Union Pacific, advanced from 1 to 2 points. The participation of the tails in the upward movement made a very favorable impression on the trading fraternity. Foreign exchange was lower, but this was due to early reports that there had been a hitch in the loan negotiations.

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Low-priced industrials led by Central Leather, Colorado Fuel and Great Northern Ore Certificates monopolized attention in the first hour, but the rails were brought to the front in the second hour and continued favorites up to the close of trading. While the railroads were occupying attention, profit-taking in the industrials resulted in slight recessions from the best. The undertone at the close was healthy und indicated betterment on Monday.

JAMES J. HILL DENIES

RUMORS OF MERGER
Vigorous dealings in Colorado Fuel and

Vigorous dealings in Colorado Fuel and ror and Great Northern Ore Certificates resulted from rumors that the two properties were to be merged. Great Northern Ore rose to 8, the highest price reached this car, but Colorado Fuel failed to surpass its high of the previous session. The campaigners in Colorado Fuel were a triffe previous resident of the previous personal for the great Northern, would leave that same and the first properties of the Great Northern, would leave for the West Friday night. Figuring that Mr. Hill would be en route to St. Paul and would not be able to dony the rumors, the ampaigners circulated the merger story. But Mr. Hill was still in this city to-day when the rumors got to his ears, and when taked regarding their truthfulness said.

"Itterly ridiculous I have never seen the Colorado Fuel properties. According to hour location, they are able to lay down from the firm of they are able to lay down from the firm of the force of the control of the same, of they one of the same, of they one of the same, of they one of the same and the s

NEW YORK Sentember 18.—Mercantile paper, 34,93%, Sterling Sixty-day bills, \$1,620; for demand, \$1,630; for cables, \$1,60. Bar sliver, 48%, Mexican dollars, 58.

BOND LIST

Atlantic Coast Line 1st 4s. 55½

A C L.—L. and N. 4s. 9½

Light and Myers is bid. 19

Norfolk and Western ev. 4½

Southern and Line stamped 4s. 55½

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Official Range and Sale of Stocks in New York

by THOMAS BRANCH & CO., Bankers and Brokers. Sales. Stock. 7,000 Allis-Chalmers 1,600 Allis-Chalmers, pfd..... | 1,600 Allis-Chamers, pfd. | 712 | 714 | 71 | 71 | 719 | 710 | 1.500 Am Agr. Chem., com. | 014 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 | 614 500 Am. Agr. Chem., com...

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NEW YORK, September 18.—Port moveaul."
Total to day at all ports—Net receipts,
16, 60 bales; exports, 31,713 bales; stock, 501.
Total for week—Net receipts, 34,070 bales;
exports, 31,713 bales.
Total for senson—Net receipts, 495,171 bales;
exports, 335,644 bales.

NEW YORK PRODUCE MARKET.

NEW YORK September 18.—The cottonseed oil market was easier under liquidation
prompted by lower lard and cotton markets
and evidence of larger offers of crude. Clossing prices were 287 points net lower. The
market closed firm. Spot. 6.0876.40: September 5.0866.20: October. 6.0976.10: November
5.0616.10: December. 5.0976.50: January. 617
7614. February. 5.0976.30: March. 6.2376.31.
April. 6.1276.44. Total sales. 5,100 barrele.
Sugar market closed. Butter. firmer.
Cheese. steady. Spot coffee, stendy; lilo 7s.
684c; Santos. 4c, 8c.

RICHMOND PRODUCE MARKET.

Wholesale Quotations.

(By Levy Commission Co.)

Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915

Live Poultry.

Class Scholes and H. 18, 68, 12

nil Unior, Pacific and New York Central, 5, points each.

Greater gairs were scored by the autemobils shares. Studebaker advancing 10% to the new high record of 120, and General Motors, 10 to 250, or within a point of its record. Bethlehem Steel rose 4 to 24, the preferred losing 8 to 160. Other industrials and equipments gained 2 to 3 points, with a noints for American woolen, at 17% and five for United States Industrial Alcohol five for United States Industrial Alcohol five for English Calendary Chickens, choice, small, b. Chi se for United States Indusfrial Alechol
at 3.

Seiling was effective in Colorado Fuel.
American Can and Crucible Steel, which
yielded substantial fractions to a point. In
the main, however, prices showed a marked
tendency to evercome pressure. United
States Steel stood out in this respect, advancing is to 55% in the face of heavy
ferlines. The reported hitch in the foreign
lean situation probably accounted for the
disorgenized state of exchange rates on
located. Hends were steally on hominal
trading. Sales aggregated \$1.720600. United
States bonds were unchanged during the
week on call.

| RICHMOND STOCK MARKET. | (By Caskle G. Burch & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | SALES ON BOARD. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | Sales on the per bol. | (By M. C. Crenshaw & Co.) | Richmond, Va., September 18, 1915 | Richmo

Fancy Delaware, four-pound basket, per basket
Fancy Niagara, four-pound basket per basket
Fancy Concord, four-pound basket, per basket
Onlons. Onlons Fancy potato, per bushel. \$ 59
Fancy white, per bushel. 50
Potators,
No. 1 Irish, per bushel. \$ 50

| Control | Cont 12.86 12.17 12.17 Cash grain: Wheat-No. 2 red. \$1.13148\$1.15; No. 2 haid, no ainal. Corn-No. 2 yellow.

RICHMOND GRAIN MARKET. OLESALE QUOTATIONS ON CHANGE

Shipstuff, winter.
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Shipstuff, spring.
Bran, spring.

CHICAGO LIVE STOCK. CHICAGO LIVE STOCK.

CHICAGO, September 18.—Hogs, weak;
f crude. Clossit lower. The
96.40 September 18.—15938-00; mixed.
15.40931-00; heavy. \$5.1593-35; rough. 15.159
10; November

January. \$13.
10938-40; calves. \$7.50931-50. Sheep. steady;
wethers. \$5.2593-50; ewes. \$3.0093-50; lambs.
15.20938-60.

RICHMOND LIVE STOCK MARKET.

(Sales at Union Stockwards.)

Richmond, Va., September 18 1915

Best steers, 73; to 34; medium to good, 7 to 75; common to fair, 5½ to 6; best helfers, 6½ to 1; needium to good, 5½ to 5½; medium to good, 6½ to 6½; medium to good, 6½ to 6½; medium to good, 6½ to 6½; medium to good, 6½ to 5½; medium to good, 6½ to 5; common to fair, 5½ to 5; to 8; common to fair, 5½ to 5½; medium to good, 6½ to 5 common to fair, 5½ to 5½; medium to good, 6½ to 5; common to fair, 5½ to 10; to good, 6½ to 5½; medium to good, 6½; to 5½; to 5½;

NEW YORK, September 18.—Cotton goods were active to-day under advancing prices. Yarns higher and active, Burlaps were feverish under rising prices. Linens are score, and cotton are being substituted. Wool goods were very firm. Sliks sold freely and higher prices are asked.

NEW YORK. September 18.—The statement of the actual condition of clearing house banks and trust companies for the week shows that they hold \$229,373,090 reserved at 400,000 bushels, mainly Manitoba.

Coarse grains were lower to-day 3-8 to 3-4 cents, and oats 1-8 to 3-4 cents. The corn market was a narrow

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dividual."

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the paper, about the first thing I look for is

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Earned Surplus - - - - \$300,000

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act words of a prominent lawyer spoken this week. And he lives a long way from Rich-

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Actual condition: Loans, etc., \$2,708,762,600; increase,

Reserve in other depositories, \$25,332,600; decrease, \$40,000. Net demand deposits, \$2,765,537,000; increase, \$70,297,600. Net time deposits, \$137,609,600; decrease.

reserve, \$20,373,000; decrease, \$3. 19.000.

Summary of State banks and trust com-anies in Greater New York, not included to clearing-house statement.

Loans, etc., \$68,395,200; decrease, \$2,001,100. Specie, \$19,591,500; increase, \$72,000. Legal tenders, \$5,33,200; decrease, \$11,300. Total deposits, \$702,945,500; increase, \$5,415,-90.

GRAIN TRADE DOUBTFUL AS TO SUCCESS OF LOAN

Question Discussed in Board of Trade Circles and Acts as Help to Bears.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] of Trade circles to-day and it acted as in September wheat, partially because of the large purchases made in the spring wheat country to come to this market, and partially on the lack of huving power and buying power, and the sharp reduction in the premiums on No. 3 hard winter wheat. That grade sold at 10 1-2 cents wheat. That grade som at 10 1-2 cents over the September price early to-day, but before noon it was selling at 4 cents over the sensational decline refecting the falling off in the demand for this particular grade. The more deferred futures declined 15-8 to 23-8 cents. The cash markets were lower, both actually and relatively to the September, in the Northwest.

lower, showing that hedging sales against the actual wheat to come for-ward are on the increase. Cash sales of wheat here were small at 15,000 bushels. At the seaboard sales were reported at 400,000 bushels, mainly bushels.

Coarse grains were lower to-day, 3-8 to 3-4 cents, and oats 1-8 to 3-8

trade small. September was bought largely by each houses. Cash sales for the day were 180,000 bushels. In the market for hog products lard showed the most loss. The selling was by commission houses in the way of liquidation and they buying was large-

the lowest points of the day.

GREENSBORO'S BIG MILLS lion and a Quarter-Dollar

Additions. GREENSBORO, N. C., September 18. The work of installing machinery of this city, will begin next week, and a tremendous job it will be. The build-ings have been completed on schedule

time and are now ready for the re-ception of the machinery.

The weaving room is 530x120 feet, and the carding and spinning building 470x130 feet. There will be 40,000 spindles, 1,100 to 1,200 looms, 200 cards, etc., in position for the manufacture of 1,200 pieces of cotton goods daily, about 900 operatives to be employed. Electricity for driving the machinery will be obtained from the Greensboro The transmission system of the Southern Brian Power Company, of Charlotte, and later

COUNTY FAIR IN OLD FLU.

hibit of Farm Products Already Assured-Fluvanna's Big Day.

through the West to the Pacific Coast is in demand all over the State. The people of Fluvanna County have asked him to talk to them at their county fair, to be held October 20, 21 and 22, and he has consented to do so. The fair will be held at Carysbrook

on the Virginia Air Line division of the Chesapeake and Ohio Railroad, and will be as usual under the auspices of the Farmers' Union of Fluvanna.
The union has a splendid forty-acre fair ground, and they have erected all a resolution on Thursday calling on Con of the necessary buildings, made splendid half-mile track for test

bicycle and automobile races. tions of farm products, live stock, missioner of Virginia, and J. E. Mapoultry, machinery and other things loney, secretary-engineer of the Colowill be the largest and most varied rado State Highway Commission, said seen at the place in "Old Flu." Besides Governor Stuart, it is ex-pected that President Stevens, of the and Ohio, Stearnes, State Superintendent of Pubinstruction, will be on hand and

IN CRATER OF VESUVIUS

Professor Defiore and Guides, Wearing Anti-Asphyxiation Masks Descend With Great Difficulty, NAPLES, September 18.—Professor

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.]
CHICAGO, September 18.—There is doubt in the minds of the grain trade at Chicago as to whether the loan to the allied nations will be made or not. This question was discussed in Board of Trade circles to-day and it acted as a belp to the hears not color. a help to the bears, not only in wheat viewed after his return, Professor Deot in corn and oats as well as in pro-visions. There was a break of 3 cents due to the sudden appearance of mineral and gaseous substances in the

FINANCIAL

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JULIAN T. WINFREE, Secretary-Treasurer.

pathy with the decline on the wheat.

Cash sales were small at 440,000 for While he was taking measurements, a

Two organizations included in the sudden upheaval of incandescent rock congress met late to-day to select of The oats market was featureless and destroyed the professor's instruments.

He reported that the phenomena is ficers and committees.

FIGHT ON BOLL WEEVIL

Smith Will Urge Congress to Establish Noncotton-Growing Zone.

WASHINGTON, September 18.—Because of the unusual advance of the R. H. Gillespie, of New York, was ap-boll-weevil north and eastward this pointed by the American Road Build. cause of the unusual advance of the season to the very limits of the Sea Island cotton zone, Senator Smith, of South Carolina, has announced he would again urge Congress to estab lish a noncotton-growing zone in front of the cotton fields at present infested. Senator Smith urged such a measure unsuccessfully two years ago, when the weevil had advanced only a short dis-

FIRE AT SWEET BRIAR

Blaze, of Undetermined Origin, Destroys Barns, Stock, Vehicles and Implements.

[Special to The Times-Dispatch.] LYNCHBURG, VA., September 13 --The two large barns on the Sweet Briar College estate, in Amherst County, together with three horses, two mules, a cow, farming implements, college vehicles and all provender saved during the summer, were burned Thursday night, entailing a loss estimated at \$4,500. The insurance is given at \$3,500. The origin of the fire is a at \$3,500. The origin of the fire is a tor the shorter and the prevailing

The farm hands worked heroically to schedules save the domestic animals housed in the burning structures, and they succeeded in rescuing sixteen horses, coxs

FOR MILITARY HIGHWAYS

Pan-American Road Congress Urges
Investigation of Fensibility of
Constructing System.
OAKLAND, CAL. September 18.—The
Pan-American Road Congress adopted a gress to investigate the feasibility and necessity of constructing a syste he qualities of horse flesh and for military highways throughout the country,
G. P. Coleman, State Highway Com-

the placing of convicts at

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(From Newspaper Files, Sept. 15, 1865.)

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First National Bank

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